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FROM: Frank J. Filas, Reclamation Engineer

RE: Site Inspection, Sahara Mine, M/015/026

On May 18, 1987, Frank Filas inspected the Sahara site with Bill Almas of Energy Fuels Nuclear. The old truck and air receiver had been removed from the property, as well as a large number of steel sets. Most of the trash still has to be removed and disposed of, but it is expected that this will be accomplished within a short period of time.

We discussed the erosion on the roads and on either side of the large water treatment ponds. Mr. Almas felt that the best solution to the problem was to reclaim those areas. He was reluctant to do this, however, because Energy Fuels believes that they will reopen the mine in the not-too-distant future. We agreed that the erosion problem at the Sahara should be given a lower priority, for the time being, than reclamation work at their other mine sites.

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